

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

TERESA L. ARCHER,

Plaintiff,

v.

WALMART, INC., et al.,

Defendants.

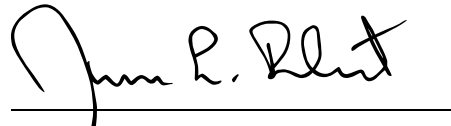
CASE NO. C22-5534JLR

ORDER

On July 27, 2022, the court issued an order to show cause why the court should not remand this matter to state court for lack of subject matter jurisdiction. (OSC (Dkt. # 6).) Specifically, the court ordered Defendants Walmart, Inc. (“Walmart”), Wal-Mart Real Estate Business Trust (“Wal-Mart Trust”), and Wal-Mart Realty Company (“Wal-Mart Realty”) (collectively, “Defendants”) to provide it with additional information regarding (1) the citizenship of Wal-Mart Trust’s members and (2) Wal-Mart Realty’s place of incorporation and principal place of business in order to show that Plaintiff Teresa L. Archer is completely diverse from Defendants. (*Id.* at 2-3.)

1 Defendants timely responded to the court's order to show cause. (*See* Resp. (Dkt.
2 # 8).) Based on the court's review of Defendants' response and the materials cited and
3 submitted in support of its response, the court finds that Defendants have successfully
4 established that they are completely diverse from Ms. Archer and that the court may
5 exercise subject matter jurisdiction over this case. (*See generally id.* at 2-3 (establishing
6 that Wal-Mart Trust is a citizen of Delaware and Arkansas, and that Wal-Mart Realty is a
7 citizen of Arkansas); Edwards Decl. (Dkt. # 8-1) ¶¶ 2-5 (same); *see also* NOR (Dkt. # 1)
8 ¶ 3 (establishing that Walmart is a citizen of a citizen of Delaware and Arkansas, and that
9 Ms. Archer is a citizen of Washington); Hernandez Decl. (Dkt. # 7) ¶¶ 7-8 (same).)
10 Accordingly, the court DISCHARGES its order to show cause (Dkt. # 6).

11 Dated this 4th day of August, 2022.

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14 JAMES L. ROBART
15 United States District Judge
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